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Dear Colleagues,

Admiral Clark made recruiting one of his highest priorities when he became Chief of Naval Operations. The Chaplain Corps accepted this priority as one of our own during FY01. Every recruiter billet was filled by dedicated representatives of our Corps. New advertising initiatives were created and implemented. Each recruiter approached the task with vigor and vision. Chaplains throughout the Navy added support through personal contacts, public awareness opportunities, and direct encouragement to civilian counterparts.

The Chaplain Corps' accession policy for FY01 and FY02 included an annual goal of sixty-five direct and superceding appointments as well as fifteen Reserve voluntary recalls. Although we did not reach the full goal in FY01, the improvements were dramatic over FY00! In FY00, our total goal was 80 and we fell short by 36 chaplains. In FY01 and with the same goal, the Navy Chaplain Corps accessed 66 chaplains, a twenty-five percent increase over FY00 accessions. Already in FY02, we have accessed 21 chaplains; 26 percent of goal in the first month of the year! The good news is that all of these new chaplains were in the pipeline prior to 11 September. Following the attack on our Nation, recruiters report a significant increase in contacts by those considering Sea Services Ministry.

All of our Chaplain Corps accession efforts have been exceptional. Those of you who have prayed, made referrals, visited seminaries, and told our story - are to be commended. These positive results also speak clearly of our recruiters' commitment and dedication to Sea Services Ministry. Our entire Chaplain Corps - both today and in the years to come - is indebted to the hard work of our recruiting team. They have earned a hearty Bravo Zulu!

Our Chaplain Corps Recruiters' names and addresses are attached. I hope and pray you will take a moment and send them a note of encouragement and thanks for their hard work. I am also including a snapshot of the "fruit" of our labor; a list of FY01 accessions by faith group. Let us thank God for these blessings and work together toward increasing accessions again this year.

Fraternally,

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Enclosures: 1. Recruiting Districts

2. FY01 Accessions by Denomination

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FY01 Accessions by Endorsing Agent

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African Methodist Episcopal Church	1
American Baptist Churches in the USA	1
Associated Gospel Churches	1
Baptist Bible Fellowship International	1
Bible Churches Chaplaincy	2
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	1
Church of God (Cleveland, TN)	1
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints	1
Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, Inc.	1
Evangelical Church Alliance	1
Evangelical Free Church of America	2
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	1
Evangelical Presbyterian Church	1
Global Network of Christian Ministries	. 1
Lutheran, Missouri Synod	2
National Baptist Convention, USA	1
Pentecostal Assemblies of the World	1
Presbyterian Church USA	1
Roman Catholic	15
Seventh-Day Adventists	5
Southern Baptist	17
Trinity Full Gospel Fellowship	1
Unitarian Universalist Association	1
United Church of Christ	1
United Methodist	4
Wesleyan Church	1